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SITUATION SUMMARY

NSA Headquarters Shooting, Fort Meade, Maryland

At approximately 0600 hours PDT (0900 Eastern Daylight Time) two men tried to ram the main gate to enter the headquarters of the National Security Agency at Fort Meade, Maryland. An NSA police officer shot one of the men dead, and seriously injured the second. A spokesman at Fort Meade has stated that two people are being treated for injuries, but was unsure how they were injured.

The incident occurred near a gate to the complex far from main buildings.

The California State Threat Assessment Center (STAC) has advised that they have no critical information that is not available on public source.

Cal EOC Incident - 2014 Drought

• SOC / Inland REOC remains activated in support of 2014 Drought

Weather of Concern

• Freeze Watch in effect from late Tuesday night through Wednesday morning for central Siskiyou County. Sub-freezing temperatures are possible and these conditions could kill crops and other sensitive vegetation.

Active Weather Warnings, Watches and Advisories by County: http://www.wrh.noaa.gov/sto/brief/wwa_bc_cal.php



WEATHER

WEATHER SYNOPSIS BY REGION:

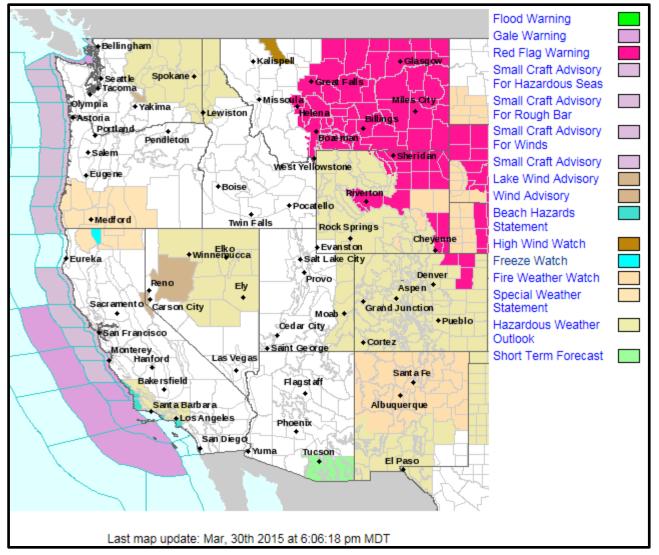
NORTHERN CALIFORNIA

High pressure that has brought record warmth to much of the region the past 5-6 days weakens today and shifts eastward as a cold front from the northwest brushes the region. Most areas will see increasing southwest winds today and some gusts across the Sierra/Cascade Crest eastward reach over 30 mph. Clouds with this front increase this evening across far northern areas where a few showers are expected but precipitation amounts should be fairly light (< 0.25 inches) mainly north of Highway 299. Weather remains unsettled through the middle of the week with another weak disturbance bringing occasional clouds and widely scattered showers mainly across our Northern Mountains again. With the colder air aloft, the showers could mix with snow above 4000 feet, and the more unstable atmosphere could produce isolated wet thunderstorm over the mountains Tuesday afternoon. Weak high pressure off the coast will shift winds to a more northwest to northeast direction Wednesday- Friday, along with a warming and drying trend. Gradual return to zonal/westerly flow this coming weekend and computer models remain uncertain on the possibility of another frontal system moving in by that time.

SOUTHERN CALIFORNIA

High pressure centered over the Desert Southwest will cause temperatures to remain 10 to 15 degrees above normal away from the coast today, with upper 60s and 70s across the mountains and 80s to low 90s in the valleys. Minimum humidity will be mainly in the teens away from the coastal areas today. Winds will be southwest to northwest 5 to 15 mph this afternoon. A couple of troughs will move inland across the Pacific Northwest bringing significant cooling and higher humidity to the region Tuesday and Wednesday. The marine layer will deepen and cover most coastal valley locations by Wednesday morning. Westerly winds of 20 to 30 mph with gusts to 50 mph will surface across the Owens Valley, Tehachapi Mountains, Antelope Valley, and Banning Pass Tuesday afternoon through Wednesday night. High pressure will build into California from the Pacific Ocean causing temperatures to warm and humidity to drop into the single digits and teens Thursday and Friday. There will be north winds of 20 to 30 mph with gusts to 50 mph across the south coast of Santa Barbara and across the Grapevine Wednesday night through Thursday morning. Offshore winds of 15 to 25 mph with gusts to 40 mph will surface across the mountains and below the canyons and passes of Southern California Thursday afternoon through Friday afternoon. Another trough will move into the West Coast bringing much cooler and more humid conditions to the region this weekend. Strong westerly winds will affect the desert passes by Sunday.

STATE WEATHER MAP



FIRE ACTIVITY

Preparedness Levels

National Preparedness Level 1

Northern California

Preparedness Level 1, Multi-Agency Coordination System MACS Mode 1

Southern California

Preparedness Level 2, Multi-Agency Coordination System MACS Mode 2

California Fire Potential & Weather Maps

Southern California 7 Day Significant Fire Potential

http://psgeodata.fs.fed.us/7day/action/forecast/8

Northern California 7 Day Significant Fire Potential

http://psgeodata.fs.fed.us/7day/action/forecast/10

California Fire Weather Map Watches and Warnings

http://www.wrh.noaa.gov/firewx/main.php

NWS California River Forecast Center:

http://www.cnrfc.noaa.gov/



RECOVERY ACTIVITIES

Round Fire, Mono County

- Site sampling and hazardous materials recovery of the affected properties began 03/14/15. Cal Recycle began debris removal operations 03/23/15.
- Two Recovery personnel have deployed to Mono County to assist with debris removal operations.
- An Applicant's Briefing will be held on 04/03/15 at 1300 hours, at the Lee Vining Community Center, to discuss the eligibility and guidelines of the CDAA program.



CAL OES 2014 DROUGHT

Cal EOC Incident – 2014 Drought

- The SOC, Inland, Coastal, and Southern REOCs and the Santa Barbara County EOC are activated in support of the Drought State of Emergency and continue to monitor the situation.
- The Governor issued an Executive Order on 09/19/14, to streamline relief efforts for families with drinking water shortages due to drought. Specifically, through the California Disaster Assistance Act, to provide temporary water supplies to households without water for drinking and/or sanitation purposes.
- CDAA 2014 Drought Fact Sheet and Frequently Asked Questions provided to Regions for reference and distribution.
- Cal OES Recovery continues to coordinate a monthly state interagency conference call regarding drought community impacts.
- Cal OES Regional (Inland, Costal, Southern) conference calls continue to occur on a bi-weekly basis.



CAL OES MISSIONS

Reopened Cal OES Missions

2015-LAW-9018 Human Remains Detection K9s have been requested to assist in a search in Solano County. Mission reopened.

Closed Cal OES Missions

• 2015-LAW-9328, 03/30/15 0123 hours, Madera County Sheriff's Department (MCSD) requesting a helicopter with FLARE equipment to assist in the search for a missing person. Cal OES LDO coordinated with Fresno County Sheriff's Department (FCSD) is responding with a helicopter to assist with the search. Update: 03/30/15 0400 hours., MCSD advised that they located missing person alive and well. FCSD advised. Mission Closed.



Mission:

We protect lives and property, build capabilities, and support our communities for a resilient California.

We achieve our mission by serving the public through effective collaboration in preparing for, protecting against, responding to, recovering from, and mitigating the impacts of all hazards and threats.

